

Set to R. W. Chandler
Brunswick July 30, 1846.

My dear Sir

Your's of the 27th was duly rec'd,
but the annual Exam. of our Senior Class prevented
me from replying before this day.

We have a Steam Propeller from Brunswick,
which unites with the Steamer from Boston at
Portland; but accidents or delays frequently hap-
pen in the transfer of articles from one to the
other.

As the box cannot be very large or heavy, you
may send it by the Express. As the Express stops
at Portland or Boston, Please attach a card, saying
To be forwarded immediately by Stage to Brunswick.

Telegraph W. Chandler Esq. of Boston, whose family
are now with me, will visit us soon, and
by him I will send you the money. If you have
been at any additional expense to the \$10.00,
Please mark it on the cont^d, which you put on
the box.

Our Trillium, in its native bog, continues
to exhibit the same peculiarities from year to year.
Mr Swallow has pressed a specimen, which he
intends

to send you by some private way.

I believe the oil of cedar to be an effectual safeguard against the attacks of insects. If a few drops are occasionally applied to the covers, containing the specimens of plants, and to the shelf or drawer, which supports them, there will be little danger of the approach of any insect. Its odor is powerful, & continues many weeks. Sometime since I put a few drops into a closet, which was infested with little ants, attracted by the presence of sugar. In less than 24 hours, every one had disappeared, and no one has since returned.

I intend to have some cases or drawers made with cedar boards for containing plants etc.

Yrs sincerely

H. W. Gray

J. Cleveland